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STRUCK LARGE GUSHER

THE FIRST SOD TURNED

IN PINCHER CREEK DISTRICT

Rocky Mountain Development Co. In Luck—Drill Blown From the Well by an 8000 Barrel Stream.

The following despatch from Pincher Creek tells of the wonderful development of the oil property near that town.

"This unusually quiet and peaceful town was thrown into a frenzy this afternoon, when news came in that the Rocky Mountain Development Co. had struck an 8,000 barrel gusher at their camp forty miles southwest of here. For weeks the bores have watched each stroke of the drill, but when the gusher was struck they were not expecting it. As a result the force of the oil blew the drill many feet into the air and a stream of oil 50 feet high and a foot thick spurted out. Soon after it was struck the flow increased, and then it was plugged to allow of accommodation for saying the fluid.

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"The officers of the company estimate that the daily capacity of the new fields is close to a million gallons. The big gusher just discovered is within five miles of the Montana boundary and shows every prospect of increasing in volume.

"Surveyors are already running lines for branches of the Great Northern and Canadian Pacific railways to the oil fields."

NEARING COMPLETION

The grading on the C. N. R. is almost completed right to the station here. Only one outfit, that of Alex. Bryson, is working the other side of Fort Saskatchewan, and he will complete his section in about two weeks, when the grade into the Fort will all be finished.

Mills and Windrows are grading the station yards at Fort Saskatchewan and will complete their work before the end of the week. The work is all finished between here and the Fort and tomorrow McCrimmon's camp will complete the connection between the E. Y. & P. and the main line, when he will move his outfit to the Morinville branch. It is the company's intention to have the steel laid on the Morinville branch before the first of the year.

Four of J. D. McArthur's camps began work today on the Wataskewin branch of the C. P. R. and one other camp will leave tomorrow to work on that line.

OBITUARY.

ALEXANDER CLARK

Mr. Alex Clark, of the Imperial Bank staff, who has been ill with typhoid fever in the public hospital for some days, died last night at 10:30. The deceased has been in the city for about a year and has made many friends. He was a bright young man of steady habits and excellent character and the news of his sad death is received with sincere regret by his companions.

Two weeks ago yesterday he went to the public hospital suffering from typhoid fever and since that time has been growing gradually worse. Mr. Clark's father lives in England and it is thought he has a brother in Brandon.

The funeral will be held from the residence of Mr. G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, tomorrow at 4 p.m.

ON THE FT. WILLIAM BRANCH

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Performs the Ceremony of Starting Construction at Fort William

Fort William, Ont., Sept. 12.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier today with a silver spade turned the first sod on the G. T. P. transcontinental highway at Fort William. The point selected was on the grounds recently purchased by the G. T. P. to the west of the town. The railway company was represented by F. W. Morse, vice president of the road. Sir Wilfrid Laurier afterward left for Ottawa.

SIR WILFRID SPEAKS.

Mr. Laurier and Smellie, M.P.P., were the principal speakers at the ceremonies of the turning of the first sod of the Lake Superior branch of the G. T. P., an event that marks the beginning of a third great connecting link between the grainery of the British Empire and the head of lake navigation and one that has been looked forward to by Fort William for two years. The Premier told of the advantages to be derived from another transcontinental railway. He dwelt upon the trade being made by the country north of the international boundary and west of the great lakes. In his opinion scarcely the last spike will be driven in the G. T. P. railway before it will be found necessary to begin the construction of another ocean to ocean line. He attributed the affluence enjoyed by the west largely to immigration. He hoped to live to see Fort William and her neighbor one city and one of the principal commercial and manufacturing centres of the continent.

TOKIO'S FLAGSHIP BURNS

Tokio, Sept. 12.—The Mikasa, Admiral Tokio's flagship, has been burnt at sea. The loss of life was 500 men, including detachments from other ships which went to the rescue.

PERSONAL

Miss Goldie Cannon and Miss Russel returned to Lacrosse this morning after spending two weeks in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kenneth leave today for Quebec, Ottawa and other eastern points. While away Mr. Kenneth will attend Canadian Manufacturers' Association convention in Quebec.

Mrs. and Miss S. McLean, mother and sister of J. A. McLean, Fifth street west, have left for their home in Toronto, after spending the summer in Edmonton. The Misses McLean, of this city, accompanied them to Banff.

POLITICS IN CARDSTON

J. W. Wolff, ex-M.L.A., was unanimously nominated as candidate for Cardston at the Liberal convention held on September 11.

Calgary Albertan: That the Conservatives of Alberta are having grave difficulties in securing candidates is seen by the little episode which occurred last week in Cardston,

It was announced in the Conservative press that the meeting which was called in Cardston to secure a Conservative candidate was crowned with success. The convention had selected one of the most prominent Mormons of the district, a Mormon bishop, in fact, by the name of Harkness.

The sequel is somewhat disastrous. It turns out that Bishop Harkness was not at the meeting, that he is not a Conservative, that he will support the Rutherford administration, and that he will under no circumstances accept the nomination of the Conservatives.

In an interview in the Raymond Chronicle Bishop Harkness authorizes the statement that he will not be a candidate. He further stated that he intended to oppose any meddling with the present school sys-

MANY WERE INJURED

IN A REAR END COLLISION

Express Ran Into the Transcontinental on the C. P. R. Short Line Near Ottawa.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—An express this morning ran into the rear of the transcontinental on the C. P. R. short line near Hammond station a little over twenty-five miles from Ottawa. A fog caused the collision. The following were injured:

John Goffey, engineer, 70 Eleventh street, Ottawa; oak severely injured.

E. E. Cole, porter, Detroit, arm fractured and dangerously hurt internally. Not expected to live.

D. H. Cardwell, porter, Washington, skull fractured seriously.

Mrs. Marret Keene, Whitman, Mass.; slightly injured.

Mrs. James F. Agan, San Francisco, slightly injured about the face.

C. E. Cuth Nicholson, Kamloops, B. C.; nose cut.

LATER.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 12.—The eastbound Winnipeg train figured in a pitch-in twenty miles east of Ottawa this morning. The limited reached Ottawa late followed close by the Soo express. The limited engine became uncontrollable and ran two hundred yards before being noticed. Backing up the rear brakeman was sent to signal the Soo train, but owing to a fog was not seen in time to prevent the collision.

Reversing the brakes Engineer Goffey and the fireman jumped as the engine crashed into the rear Pullman of the limited, which had no passengers, being empty, going to Montreal in charge of Porter Cards well. It and the rear regular Pullman were ditched, the engine not leaving the track.

TREATY NOT YET PUBLISHED

London, Sept. 12.—A further delay has occurred in the publication of the Anglo-Japanese treaty. It was decided to issue the treaty last evening but it was learned at the foreign office that probably several days will elapse before the text is made public. No intimation is given regarding the delay and the impression prevails that it is due to a request of Japan.

ANOTHER WINNIPEG SUICIDE

Winnipeg, Sept. 12.—One more name was added to the list of recent suicides in Winnipeg yesterday when John Webber traveller for Bright & Johnston took his life by drinking carbolic acid. Deceased was thirty years old.

Andrew Young, a recent arrival from the east met with a nasty death at Alexander Monday, by being run over and crushed by a separator.

HERALD REPORT NOT TRUE

Attorney General Gross was seen this morning, by a Bulletin representative, in reference to the statement in

Calgary Herald that he was solicitor for the Grand Trunk Pacific or Canadian Northern Railways. Mr. Gross stated that neither he nor his firm were now or ever had been solicitors for the G.T.P., C.N.R. or any other railway corporation.

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CONGRATULATIONS

The lapse of time and the inactivity of the street railway company have annulled the agreement made between the company and the city by which the company secured control of the city's charter for a street and radial railway system. According to the agreement therefore the charter reverts to the city, and the \$10,000 forfeit money deposited by the company, as a guarantee of good faith, goes into the city coffers.

It is not often that a municipal franchise bestowed gratis on a corporation is recovered without lawsuit, purchase or indemnity. That Edmonton is the fortunate exception to the rule is a matter for hearty congratulation. All the other public utilities are owned by the city and there is no reason why this most valuable of all franchises should be in the hands of a corporation.

Edmonton's experience with the street railway company should very effectively teach the citizens one lesson. The strong argument of the advocates of the arrangement with the company was that the city could not at present afford to build a street railway system, that such system if built would not be immediately profitable, but that a corporation with a long term franchise would be willing to sacrifice during the early years of the enterprise, trusting to be recouped as business developed and increased. The history of the past year has quite effectively exploded this theory, and Edmonton should never again be tempted to surrender a valuable franchise in the hope of getting a street railway before the available business warrants the undertaking. The city will not have and should not have a street railway built by either public or private funds until the circumstances give reasonable assurance that the enterprise will get quickly on a self-supporting basis.

That this time is not far distant is not more certain than that when it arrives Edmonton will be in a position to undertake the construction of a street railway system as a municipal enterprise. Until that time arrives the people of Edmonton should take no chances on again parting with the street railway charter. It has been once recovered by a stroke; it is very improbable it would occur again.

THE MARCHING OF MR. HAULTAIN

The latest development of the frenzied hostility of the Opposition press to the autonomy bills is an attack on Lieutenant-Governor Forget of Saskatchewan for having passed over the late Premier Haultain and called on Walter Scott, M.P., to form an executive council for the province. With all the fury of bigotry and disappointment the Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan is held up to execration and ridicule as the tool of the Federal Government obeying the dictates of his master in dismissing an independent and trusted representative of the people and replacing him by a partisan. The names of Monseigneur Sbaratti, the "Hierarchy", Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Walter Scott are linked as the associated perpetrators of an outrage upon the liberties of the people and all that is calculated to arouse the religious animosities of Protestants is decked in the lurid language of the frantic demagogue and paraded before the readers of this class of literature.

It is neither the habit nor the intention of the Bulletin to plead for moderation of language nor honesty of statement from opponents. Alike the harangue of the reasonless and the fabrication of the unprincipled lead their authors to the end appointed and the solid common sense of the Canadian electorate never fails in the end to detect and treat with these after the manner of their deserts. Not since the archie-chief of Conservatism played for a decade the people of Quebec and Ontario against each other for his own ends have the Canadian people been swerved permanently from the course of sanity and justice by sectarianism harping on religious scruples or prejudices. The present case will be found no exception to the rule and the journals now devoting them-

selves to awakening hostilities among the classes and creeds of our composite population will find their reward in the disgust with which the humane sense of Canadians will treat both utterances and authors.

It might however strike an observer as peculiar that the press which urges for the abolition of separate schools on the ground that these create a line of division between the rising generations of Protestants and Catholics should devote itself with a deliberation only equalled by its fury to separating the parents of Protestant and Catholic children by a line not of division but of antagonism.

As for the cause underlying the outburst it is not far to seek nor hard to understand:

Eighteen years ago Mr. Haultain was placed at the head of Territorial affairs by Hon. F. Oliver and Hon. Jas. Ross. For eighteen years he maintained power through the co-operation of North West Liberals. When a section of the Territorial Conservatives led by R. B. Bennett ousted the Haultain administration the liberal of the North West as a body upheld the Territorial Government and saved Mr. Haultain from slaughter at the hands of his own party.

How was the trust and co-operation of the Liberals rewarded? When the opportune moment seemed to have arrived, when the breaches in the ranks of the Territorial Conservatives had been closed and Territorial Liberalism seemed at the ebb, Mr. Haultain threw himself with the prestige of the position which he had first received from the Territorial Liberals and in which he had been maintained by their consistent and unfaltering confidence, and unfaltering support, and spared neither time nor effort to secure the defeat of the men upon whom he had relied for support. Small wonder that the Conservatives should desire the reinstatement of Mr. Haultain in his position, which he occupies more effectively than the battles of those with whom he formed alliance and for whom he deserted and attacked the friends of a lifetime.



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CALGARY MAY ADOPT THE COMMISSIONER SYSTEM

Herald: Calgary's civic government is to be improved. The commission idea is to be introduced, apparently. At election time last fall there was much talk of a commission being appointed to administer the affairs of the city. It was said the city's business had assumed such proportions that it was impossible for the ordinary business man to spare time to attend to the work of supervising the carrying out of committee work. This was thought to be true at the time and is equally applicable now.

Nothing was done in the council furthering the policy until Alderman Stuart, who is a strong supporter of the idea, introduced a motion which was dealt with at a special meeting of the aldermen last night.

The question was discussed by all the aldermen and the principle of the system was endorsed and a special committee is to be appointed at next meeting to report on the best method of working out the scheme. The decision was unanimous.

Alderman Stuart read his motion, which proposed a board of commissioners, composed of the mayor, city clerk and city engineer, they to administer all the affairs of the city.

What the second ward alderman wished to know was if the council was favorable to the idea. He considered it was not in the best interests of the city to have the aldermen attend to the details of carrying on the actual work. Legislative measures were within their scope, but executive work should be left with others. In American cities as far back as 1830 the principle was recognized and adopted.

Calgary was away behind all the large American cities in expecting committees to do the executive work. In spite of reports to the contrary, the Edmonton board of commissioners were working satisfactorily. The only objection to the system there was from one man who had been elected to oppose the idea.

There was no continuity in our system. The lack of responsibility was also a drawback. An alderman could not be dismissed if his views did not meet with the approval of the board of aldermen. He read extracts of the report of an expert on civic administration supporting the principle.

The city of Toronto had practically enunciated the idea by appointing a board of control comprised of seven members, including the mayor. They were all elected by votes of the people.

A summary of Alderman Stuart's motion reads:

The dividing of the city into four wards, each ward to elect four aldermen, the mayor to be elected every year, and the commissioners to qualify for mayor unless first serving for one year in the council.

Compulsory service upon the council board. This was merely suggested.

The mayor, the city clerk and the city engineer shall ex-officio constitute a board of commissioners to be called "The Commissioners of the City of Calgary," and subject to the legislative jurisdiction of the council the staff being appointed and salaries fixed by the city council, shall have full power either directly or through subordinate officers to be appointed by them, of assessment and collection of taxes, the care, management, control and direction of the police force, the fire department, the public works, streets and of all the property, works, improvements, roads, streets, parks, markets, cemeteries and public places owned and controlled by the city or over which its jurisdiction extends and also such powers and duties as may be delegated to them by the council.

The city clerk and the city engineer could be removed for cause satisfactory to the council and by two-thirds vote of all members thereof.

Major Emerson said he had found some things in the city government that convinced him the idea of commissioners was a good one. The cause worked fair and in connection with the same he was in charge of the city engineer. The drawback was the engineer was not in touch with the financial end of the affairs and therefore there was not the harmonious working of the city affairs which would result if there was a commissioner who worked in harmony with an official with similar powers to those of the city engineer. Many matters arose which could be dealt with immediately by referring to the engineer, the law being that if a commission had control.

Alderman Hornby was in favor of the idea of a commission but did not think the mayor should be a member of it. In addition to the board of aldermen he wanted a commission elected.

Mr. Thompson did not want a mayor on a commission but he did not think the mayor should be a member of it. They might wreck the city in that time.

Mr. Thomas was doubtful as to whether a man selected by the people would always have the qualifications to fill the position.

The rest of the board appeared to favor the plan and the motion to endorse the principle and a special committee appointed on the best method of working it out was carried. Mayor Emerson will recommend the committee at the next meeting.

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Tiflis, Caucasus, Sept. 12.—Prince Tsitsianoff, a landed proprietor, was assassinated at Gori 50 miles from Tiflis.

Tavastehus, Finland, Sept. 21.—While the Governor was driving with the chief of police an infernal machine was thrown at the carriage, but failed to explode.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

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WEATHER.

Wednesday, September 12—	
Maximum	52
Minimum	36
Noon	63
Barometer	30.14

LOCAL

—Attorney-General Cross is opening his private office this afternoon in the building lately occupied by the customs office, where those having business with his department may call upon him.

—Blairmore Times: This week has done much to clear the atmosphere politically as all convention fights are now over and the three party candidates in the field. J. P. Marcellus, of Fishburn, has been nominated as the candidates of the Liberals; F. H. Sherman, the representative of labor, declares that he is in the fight to stay; while last evening the Conservatives made their final selection of a candidate. Too late however for us to secure his name before going to press.

COMING EVENTS

TUESDAY—8 p.m. Liberal mass meeting, Robertson's hall; Wm. Yule and company, Thistle Drift, lawn social in aid of Grace church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Cushing. 210 1/2 pd.

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WARWICK NEWS

Warwick Sept. 6.—There was an annual celebration in Warwick on September 1st. A large number of people gathered here from the surrounding country. Several loads came over from Vegreville. During the day there was a game of base ball. Vegreville won by the score of nine to one. There were races, games and sports of various kinds. In the evening there was a good display of fireworks and a programme concert music was supplied by the Warwick string band.

The Rev. A. B. and Mrs. Argue spent Sunday and Monday in Warwick.

Dr. Rush of Vegreville gave us a professional visit last Tuesday.

During the last few days heavy showers have delayed haying and harvesting operations.

There is a binding twine famine in this neighborhood and all of the dealers have sold out their stock of twine.

G.T.P. CONSTRUCTION

Frank W. Morse, general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway who has just returned to Montreal from a trip to Winnipeg in connection with the construction of the new line stated that no rails would be laid on any of the road constructed this year. The work on the building of the line from Portage la Prairie to Touchwood Hills was proceeding at a rapid rate so that it may properly be said that 275 miles of the road will be under construction this year, west of Winnipeg, but though this work was progressing so favorably, the company will wait until next spring to lay the ties and rails.

"Have any arrangements been made regarding terminals at Winnipeg, Mr. Morse?" "Will the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern jointly construct terminals, or will the Grand Trunk Pacific build its own terminals?"

"No arrangements have been made in this matter," replied Mr. Morse. "There is absolutely nothing to announce as yet in reference to it."

A STRATHCONA KICK

(From the Chronicle) A considerable section of Strathcona's citizens were more than usually worked up over the attempt to side-track Strathcona by having the special conveying the vice-regal party, and the American agricultural editors switched off at the wye and taken direct to Edmonton. Edmonton is only the temporary capital at present and if a section of its citizens go out of their way to antagonize other towns the natural outcome will be that when that eventful day comes around for a vote in the assembly on the permanent capital, that city will probably find arrayed against her some who at present she considers friends.

That the broader minded citizens who constitute the large majority in the capital are not parties to this kind of treatment of the Southern towns and Strathcona is recognized (Strathcona at least). But though many opinions of regret have been expressed in private by public men no public body express a regret, and as the press of that town is either silent or enjoys the gibe at the Southern towns, it naturally reflects upon Edmonton as a city. Healthy rivalry is elevating, and acts as a spur to young and old in commerce, sports and social intercourse, whereas these petty jealousies are injurious. The celebration on Sept. 1st was in honor of the birth of a province. Edmonton, the capital, was decidedly the proper place to hold the ceremonies, but apart from that Edmonton was entirely out of the question. It was a red letter day for the province fittingly celebrated; an important day in the history of the Dominion and the Empire, and an event that was cables to and noticed by the press throughout the civilized world.

—Plaindealer: Strathcona did herself proud in the way of decorations on Inauguration Day. The arches erected by the municipality were simply splendid, do credit alike to the town and the builder, Mr. Olaf Peder森. Dressed with grain sheaves fresh from the bountiful harvest fields they were an excellent advertisement of the agricultural resources of our district viewed by the many distinguished and representative visitors from a distance who attended the inauguration festivities. Business men and householders were lavish in the adornment of their premises for the occasion and Strathcona really looked charming in her holiday attire.

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A WETASKIWIN PROTEST

(From the Post)
Wetaskiwin Baseball Team, or in other words "The Cubs" have in a series of three games lost the Brewery trophy, and with it the championship of Alberta to a team nominally known as Banff. That Banff in itself has a ball team composed as ours is of practically local men, we must deny in a most unqualified manner. The aggregation which Banff sent up here to win the trophy by hook or by crook was a concomitance of all the best ball players who could be collected from Calgary and the western states to which they added the celebrated Princeton College pitcher Byron, who happened to be rustication at Banff this summer, and who has as everyone knows, no more connection with Banff than we have. Our boys were a splendid lot to put up such a grand game against them. The trophy goes back to Banff, and it is this the only way that they can win it from the Cubs they are certainly welcome to it. We venture to predict that when Byron leaves them, or even before, that Calgary will challenge Banff for the trophy and relieve them of it, which after all is the sum total of the present idea. It was Calgary whom Wetaskiwin played this week not Banff, as the latter town dare not have the gall to say that Banff team proper can run up against our boys for five minutes.

If the Calgary ball team and its management cannot see their way to act better than they have done during the past season, we would suggest that all ball teams north of Calgary organize and that another independent trophy be put up to be competed for between Edmonton, Wetaskiwin, Innisfail, Red Deer, Olds, Diligent, and all such teams, and that Calgary be shut out absolutely, with the privilege that they can contest for the honor of the Beer Barrel with such teams as Nanton or any other old team who will play with them. It is high time that the stewards of the Brewery trophy inserted some residence clause for players competing and whilst we ourselves have transgressed this rule a little it is a mere fleabite compared with the transgression which the importation of what is rather ironically termed the Banff team means. About half a dozen of the players know nothing about Banff and care less.

TERRITORIAL POLITICAL AFFAIRS

(From the Western Methodist Times)
Now that the autonomy bill has passed and the establishment of the two new provinces virtually a fact, as might be expected, to boil furiously. Mr. Haultain elected to stay in Saskatchewan, and so far as prominent politicians are concerned, Alberta seems to be left almost to itself. Mr. Walter Scott will be leader of the government forces in Saskatchewan. This was the best possible selection the Ottawa people could have made, in fact we do not see what else could have been done. He is the strongest man who could have been put against Mr. Haultain. Mr. Bulyea gets one of the Lieutenant-Governorships and some one will have to be hummed up for Senatorial promotion. We do not expect to see any really worthy or desirable man get this—these things usually go to the "Yelpers" of the party whose mouths must be closed at any cost.

Mr. Bulyea might have had the honor of being asked to form the first government but we do not see how he could have accepted, however worthy he may be of the position. He stood in that relation to Mr. Haultain so long that with the latter opposed to him discussion of measures would have inevitably descended into a personal recrimination such as would not have been edifying to the country or elevating to the life of the new parliament. A sense of personal friendship, too, might have prevented him from exposing Mr. Haultain's weakness with the freedom and thoroughness necessary in a political leader. Certainly Mr. Scott will not be restrained by any such considerations.

As Mr. Bulyea's legislative career seems closed for the present we may be pardoned if we add our tribute of appreciation. He is a man whom this Western country could ill afford to spare out of its public life. He may be a politician but he is also a good man. If it were nothing else than the way he has conducted himself since Mr. Haultain and his followers declared so unequivocally for party politics that in itself would stamp him an un-

selfish man. He knew he was stupefying himself even in the eyes of his own friends by remaining where he was, and yet he dropped himself and his own feelings out of sight in an honest endeavor to serve his country in the hour of his country's need. We honor him for his noble stand and we are not afraid for the country so long as such men are with us. The trouble is they are all too few.

Cardinal, Sept. 7.—Levi Harker, of McGrath, general merchant, a prominent member of the Mormon Church, was selected by the Conservatives of Cardston as their candidate in the approaching elections for the provincial legislature.

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References: Mrs. Grace, the Archdeacon of Ruthin, and Very Archdeacon Fortin; H. E. Kearley, Esq., M. P., England; Miss Beale, LL.D., Cheltenham, Eng.; The Hon. Mr. Justice Parfitter, C. S. I., Calcutta; F. C. Wade, Esq., K.C.

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LOCAL

—Profs. fine and cool, showers probable Wednesday.

—The Regina Leader celebrated the inauguration by issuing a special illustrated edition.

—Lawn soot in aid of Grace Methodist church tonight at the home of Mr. A. T. Cushing. Tea served from five to seven p.m.

—The smoking concert to be given by the cricket club on Friday evening will not be held owing to the death of one of its members, Mr. Alex. Clark.

—Mr. C. E. White brought in a bundle of red clover grown on Walker's flat, near Belmont, that is a very fine sample. He also brought in a stalk of rhubarb that measures five inches in circumference.

—A large attendance is expected at the Liberal mass meeting in Robertson's hall tonight, to nominate a Liberal candidate for Edmonton. Geo. Grant, M.P., F. H. McKenzie, M.P., Geo. W. F. Finlay and Hon. Dr. DeVeber will address the meeting.

—Wetaskiwin Times: On Sunday August 26th, the oldest inhabitant of this district, if not the oldest person in Western Canada, passed away to his long reward at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hastings, west of town. We refer to the late Michael Kelley, who was in his 106th year.

—The Canadian bank of Commerce expected to open their branch at Vegreville yesterday. H. L. Miller, accountant of the bank here is temporarily in charge. The Bank of Commerce has secured a location in the new railway town site four miles north of the present town of Vegreville.

—Calgary Herald: What's this? Reginal charging admission to the inaugurate ceremonies! Edmonton was a bit soft when it came to placing its distinguished visitors on the pavilion, but the charge of making a profit out of the affair cannot be charged against G. T. P. capital in Alberta.

—Mr. J. St. Clair Blackett returned last evening from Winnipeg. He speaks enthusiastically of the steady progress Winnipeg is making. Regarding the Edmonton Oil Company Mr. Blackett is confident that their hopes will be realized, and that the discovery of oil will mean a very great deal for this section of the country, as fuel oil is one of the most profitable products of any country.

—The Wm. Yule company played last evening to a rather small audience in the Thistle Rink. The feature of the entertainment is Mr. Yule's specialties. He is an excellent imitator and as an Irish comedian excels. Mr. W. E. Fox treats Drummond's Habitant selections very nicely and Miss Marie Davidson is a graceful and accomplished actress. The show is good for several hearty laughs and is well worth hearing.

—Wetaskiwin Times: A binder twine famine has struck Wetaskiwin and we are informed a pound of twine cannot be had in the west. This state of affairs was caused by the enormous crops which surpassed the estimates of everybody in the district, and from all appearance the farmers will be compelled to go back to the old system of binding by hand. One implement dealer who has kept tab on the requests for twine, estimates that it would require 40,000 lbs. to complete the harvest in the Wetaskiwin district.

—Regina Leader: Blessed is the Peace-maker! Great Britain had to pay \$1,000,000,000 and much blood on account of racial antipathies in South Africa. Is that lesson soon to be forgotten? Can Canada afford to permit blatant mischief-making language purposely to engender sectarian strife and hatred to circulate amongst her people? The language of the Winnipeg Tribune is mendacious, mischievous and disgraceful in both letter and spirit. The motive of the charlatan who would degrade the press with such lying and scurrilous appeals to passion and prejudice is as putrid as must be his character.

—Regina, N.W.T., Sept. 6.—Lieut. Durand, of the Nintheth, was hurt more or less severely as he was about to leave Regina last night for home. The express for the east backed away from the depot onto a siding to allow a long work train to pass and when starting again it ran past the station without stopping. While he was attempting to get on the train, Lieut. Durand's sword fell out of its scabbard, and the hilt striking on the station platform forced the point of the sword into his thigh; he threw himself onto the station platform and was carried to the Alexandra hotel where he is resting under the care of Dr. Thompson. The exact extent of the injury is not known but it is not expected that it will prove very serious.

—Leduc, Sept. 7.—The district Convention of the Conservative Association took place in the new Karl Martin hall, on Wednesday, the 6th inst. President Anderson occupied the chair, with A. Featherston recording the minutes as secretary. The candidates proposed were Messrs. Featherston, Martin, Douglas and Simonds, of Leduc; Mr. P. J. Muller, of Milllet. The two highest votes obtained were Messrs. Douglas and Simonds, the former withdrawing, and the meeting unanimously decided in favor of Mr. C. A. E. Simonds. Other business, such as raising funds to carry on the campaign, was gone into. The attendance was fair and the feeling of the meeting throughout was to be up and doing. The Enterprise went Liberal today.

—Regina Leader: "We see no reason to demur over a thing which pleases everybody." Bennett and the Alberta Conservatives didn't want Haultain, and they are pleased. With the Saskatchewan Conservatives it was Haultain or Nobody, and they are pleased or pretend to be, although some of them hotly resent the situation to which it has led. Saskatchewan Liberals who kept Mr. Haultain in power for eighteen years and got in return the traitor's knife since March, 1903, certainly desire one more opportunity at the polls with his name; they are pleased. Lastly, Mr. Haultain's private and personal ends are served—otherwise he says that he would have no further use for Saskatchewan—and he is pleased. It is true, of course, that a bare month ago he was making personal appeals to certain of Alberta's leading Liberals to support him in Alberta, but that was a mere detail. He is a man of mystery no longer; he has ceased playing the role of carpet bagger; and everybody is pleased. Why, therefore, any demur?"

—Since Thursday of last week, Messrs. James Daly and John Miller of Clover Bar have been receiving the congratulations of their friends for having escaped by a hair's breadth death from lightning. An electric storm passed over on Wednesday evening. It had been raining a little all evening with very vivid lightning but little thunder. Mr. Miller and Mr. Daly were sitting in the house of the latter reading. Mr. Miller was close to the stove, which was in the centre of the room, with his feet resting on the front of it. Mr. Daly sat by a table at the west side of the room. Suddenly about ten o'clock there came a flash and a ball of fire as big as a pint mug hung between the two men. It was followed by a terrible explosion filling the house with gas which smelt like gunpowder, extinguishing the lamp and stunning both men for a few minutes. Mr. Miller recovered consciousness first and called to his companion to know if they were hurt. It was some time before Mr. Daly was able to answer him. Presently, however, they both recovered completely from the shocks they had sustained. They hunted about the house to find if possible where the lightning had entered but did not discover until the morning, when they found it had come down the stove pipe, rippling open the flue-tightings. The floor was splintered in five places, one not a yard from where Mr. Daly sat.

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